



## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

ADDRESS TO:  Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450	Attorney Docket No.: 99,843-A
	Application No.: 10/043,915
	Filing Date: January 11, 2002
	First Named Inventor: Kircher
	Group Art Unit: 3725
	Examiner: Rosenbaum

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to and including June 2, 2004.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))             | \$       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$420.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))          | \$       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))           | \$       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))           | \$       |

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 210.00                                       |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account Number 13-2490. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. |

### SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT REQUIRED

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Reg. No.	32,901
Signature	
Date	June 1, 2004

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